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so please tell me if the end of the day is not

possible. Kevin

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From: Siciliano, CarolAnn

Main Office Line: 202-564-8040

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 9:42 AM

To: Schmidt, Lorie <Schmidt.Lorie@epa.gov>; Srinivasan, Gautam <Srinivasan.Gautam@epa.gov>; Smith, Kristi

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Thank you, all.

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From: Schmidt, Lorie

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 9:38 AM

To: Siciliano, CarolAnn <<u>Siciliano.CarolAnn@epa.gov</u>>; Srinivasan, Gautam <<u>Srinivasan.Gautam@epa.gov</u>>; Smith, Kristi

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We'll look into it.

I know that you are correct that we have given final approval to the CD and asked the court to enter it, but the court has not yet done so.

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ARLO will pull something together and get back to you.

Lorie Schmidt Associate General Counsel, Air and Radiation Office of General Counsel US Environmental Protection Agency (202)564-1681

From: Siciliano, CarolAnn

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 9:31 AM

To: Schmidt, Lorie < Schmidt. Lorie@epa.gov >; Srinivasan, Gautam < Srinivasan. Gautam@epa.gov >; Smith, Kristi

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Cc: Stahle, Susan <Stahle.Susan@epa.gov>; Minoli, Kevin <Minoli.Kevin@epa.gov>

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Could ARLO please look at this ASAP? Senator Barrasso sent the attached letter to Chief of Staff Priebus questioning the publication of the Wyoming SIP disapproval.

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From: Rees, Sarah

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 9:14 AM

To: Minoli, Kevin <Minoli.Kevin@epa.gov>; Siciliano, CarolAnn <Siciliano.CarolAnn@epa.gov>

Cc: Kenny, Shannon < Kenny. Shannon@epa.gov>

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This is the action where the consent decree had been filed with the court on 10/15 but has not been lodged.

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From: Schnare, David

**Sent:** Saturday, February 11, 2017 11:08 PM **To:** Rees, Sarah < rees.sarah@epa.gov >

Cc: Benton, Donald <br/> <br/>benton.donald@epa.gov>; Minoli, Kevin < Minoli, Kevin@epa.gov>; Kenny, Shannon

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Subject: Fwd: Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works: Letter from Chairman Barrasso Regarding EPA's

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Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Benton, Donald" < benton.donald@epa.gov>

Date: February 11, 2017 at 7:17:17 PM EST

To: "Schnare, David" <schnare.david@epa.gov>, "Schwab, Justin" <schwab.justin@epa.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works: Letter from Chairman Barrasso Regarding EPA's compliance with Mr. Priebus' January 20 "Regulatory Freeze" Memorandum

David,

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Thanks, Don

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Olsen, Elizabeth (EPW)" < Elizabeth Olsen@epw.senate.gov>

Date: February 10, 2017 at 10:28:10 AM PST

To: "Benton.donald@epa.gov" <Benton.donald@epa.gov>

Subject: Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works: Letter from Chairman Barrasso Regarding EPA's compliance with Mr. Priebus' January 20 "Regulatory Freeze" Memorandum

Mr. Benton,

Attached, please find a copy of a letter from Chairman Barrasso to White House Chief of Staff Reince Priebus, regarding EPA's compliance with Mr. Priebus' January 20 "Regulatory Freeze" Memorandum and EPA's recent partial disapproval of Wyoming's SIP for the 2008 ozone standard.

Thank you,
Elizabeth "Lizzy" Olsen, J.D.
Majority Director of Operations
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